NEW YORK COMMITTEE INDORSES ROOSEVELT.

Fixes April 12 as Date for Holding Republican State Convention to Select Delegates at Large.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
New York, Feb. 27.—The Republican State Committee met in the Fifth Avenue Hotel at 19:30 o'clock to-day and in a session lasting less than ten minutes fixed Tuesday, April 12, at 12 o'clock noon, as the date and Carnegie Hall, this city, as the place for holding the first State Convention for the election of a new State

the place for holding the first State Convention for the election of a new State Committee and delegates at large for the National Convention.

The committee, by unanimous vote, adopted resolutions indorsing President Roosevelt.

The only note of discord heard during the meeting was sounded by Louis P. Payn, who is opposed to instructing delegates to vote for the nomination of President Roosevelt. He said:

"The State Convention has no power to instruct district delegates. We settled that in 1880, and, if any instructions are passed, any district delegate may get up in the National Convention and defy them, and that convention will sustain him.

"The State Convention has no more power over the seventy-four district delegates than it has over the Common Council of Hoboken."

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"Then let us refer the whole matter to the Common Council of Hoboken." said Chairman Dunn, Mr. Payne expects to be a delegate to the National Convention from the Twenty-first Congressional District, and he makes no concealment of the fact that he is opposed to the nomination of Rooseyelt.

The resolutions indorsing President Roeseyelt were as follows:

The Republican State Committee of New York takes this occasion to declare its entire loyalty to President Theidore Rooseyelt as the representative of his party in the State. We are proud of his distinguished services to his ecunity. We admire his alert Americaniem and his devotion to the highest ideals of government. His character, his fieldly to the presentation of his party in the state we are proud of his distinguished services to his ecunity. We admire his alert Americaniem and his devotion to the highest ideals of government. His character, his fieldly to the present the propose in admired the meeting was held in the Fifth Avenut Hotel. Senator Platt did not attend the meeting was held in the Fifth Avenut.

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The meeting was held in the Fifth Avenut Hotel, Senator Platt did not attend the meeting of the committee, but, during the session, remained in the lobby of the hotel, where, with former Lieutenant Governor Timothy Woodruff, he held an informal reception and was greeted by many of the Republican politicians present.

INDORSE BOTHWELL'S CANDIDACY. Pettis County Republicans Select

Delegates to Three Conventions. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Schalla, Mo., Feb. 27.-The Pettis County Republican Convention convened here to-day and selected delegates to three conventions, as follows:

To the State Convention at Kansus City,

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To the State Convention at Kansus City, March 22-J. H. Bothwell, Judge W. S. Shirk, Henry Lamm, O. D. Smith, Neison Painter, J. S. Brenneman, J. L. Babcock, E. E. Codding, James A. Cobb, T. T. Velts, P. D. Hastain, C. S. Walden and H. G. Phillips.

To the Seventh District Delegate Convention at Sedalla, on April 7: and to the Seventh District Congressional Nominating Convention at Sedalla, on August 2-P. H. Sangree, W. M. Johns, A. L. Shortridge, George Dump, James McCampbell, James P. Hook, James M. O'Bannon, H. D. Dow, H. W. Meuschke, A. A. Chamire, Daniel Grow and C. E. Messerly.

The convention unanimously adopted resolutions favoring the nomination of J. H. Bethweil as the Republican candidate for Governor.

GILES ALLISON TO BE A DELEGATE. Murphy Seems Determined to Put

None but McClellan Men on Guard. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, Feb. 27.-It was announced

at the Democratic Club that Colonel Giles Allfson, very well known in St. Louis, would be the Tammany delegate to the St. Louis convention from the Second Congressional District.

The selection of Colonel Allison as a delegate to the Democratic National Convention would incleate that Leader Charles F Murphy intends to put none but McClellan men on guard. Colonel Allison is avowedly for McClellan's nomination, and has made no secret of his choice.

Sposanamons Club Officers

The Sposinamons Club elected William Edmonds president, Frank R. Bigney treasurer and B. Farrar secretary. The club meets at No. 2000 North Eleventh street. It will give its first entertainment at Social Turner Hall on Sunday evening, March 20.

SLEEP IS PRICELESS.

But It Can Be Obtained by Simple Methods.

Are you a hard worker? Are you overcome with fatigue at the end of each day's labor, and instead of retiring to bed with a feeling of satisfaction at the prospect of a night's repose, do you wait the hour of bedtime with dread and shrinking?

Is it your unhappy lot to be awakened every night, just after you have dropped off to sleep, by an intense, uncontrollable liching of the rectum? Do you then endeavor to relieve the sensation by scratching so desperately that the skin becomes raw and lacerated, and you finally sink into the sleep of exhaustion? If so, you do not need to be told that you are afflicted with liching piles. You have probably tried every remedy you could hear of, with but temporary relief, if any, and have concluded there was nothing left for you but to drag out a miserable existence. As a drowning man grapps at a straw, so should you eagerly devour the words of W. O. Milbury, 70 Pearl street, Reading, Mass.

"I am pleased to state that I bought one fifty-cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure at the drug store, and used about one half of it, and it not only cured me of itching piles, but also of constipation, a trouble of about fifteen years' standing. I have tried almost everything without any lasting benefit, but I can honesely and rruthfully state that Pyramid Pile Cure has entirely cured me, as I have had no return of that terrible ltching which used to keep me awake by the hour, night after night. If the old trouble should ever return I will know just what to do, but I guess it won't, for it is now sky or seven months since I first used this wonderful remedy."

We vouch' for the authenticity of this testimonial, and as Mr. Milbury found relief and a cure, so you may also. Do not delay, but buy a box and try it to-night, and on or allow any dealer to sell you "something just as good." You will do well to write Pyramid Drug Co., Marshail, Mich., for their little book on the causes and cure of piles, which is sent free for the asking.

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------In what lies the power that has brought Japan from a place among the obscure nations to her present equality among the great industrial countries of the world, s a question that every authority would answer differently, yet none so concisely as does N. Kanzaki, secretary to Acting Imperial Commissioner Hajime Ota of Japan.

The visit of Commodore Perry to Japan. followed by an edict of the Mikado, commanding his people to go forth and observe the ways of the Western civilization, is the cause assigned by Mr. Kanzaki for the rapid progress of his country in the past fifty years.

This activity is iliustrated in peace as well as in war, and Japan will show an exhibit of her manufactures at the World's Fair that is intended to create a market for the classes of goods which she produces from her own resources, without the aid of modern machines, by which the reputation of being only a skillful imitator will give way for a true estimate of her genius.

"We are not grown up in the art of using machinery, and we can't show you how to do it," said Secretary Kanzaki. "but we look to you to show it to us. We will exhibit things made by hand, and at that, wares which we can make in quantity and still keep up to a certain standard for export. In this work we are no infants, and through it we show Japan as a grown-up nation in the eyes of the world."

DELICATE CARVINGS. This activity is illustrated in peace as

DELICATE CARVINGS. Ranging from infinitesimal carvings made on grains of rice to huge porcelain vases, large enough to have sheltered vases, large enough to have sheltered several of All Baba's forty thieves, the Japanese exhibit will present a versatility surpassed by no other nation.

In every exhibit palace the Japanese collections will show what man can do with his hands. A painting produced with four strokes of the brush; a carving on ivory of a battlefield, containing thirty figures to the square inch, and somewhere else may be seen a bit of cloisonne from the hand of an artist who died 300 years ago, but over all will be the mantle of the Japanese genius that has endeavored to push to the highest perfection the hand and eye and brain of its workers.

With all this perfection the Japanese does not lie down on his laurels, but is seeking new outlets for his energy and in that spirit. Secretary Kanzaki says, the Exposition will give to them more to take away than they bring.

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away than they bring.
"Our appearance at the World's Fair is as students," said Mr. Kanzaki. "We come to learn, not to try to teach those



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N. KANZAKI, Secretary to Commissioner Ota.

who are more learned than ourselves and our aim will be to show-not how well Japanese artisans can copy-but what they Japanese artisans can copy—but what they can originate.

"Although the present dynasty is 2,500 years old, not until some fifty years ago did we come in touch with American civilization, when Commodore Perry visited our ports. Since that time we have made every effort to catch up with the rest of the world's nations, or at least to close up some of the distance by which we are surpassed.

PEOPLE GO ARROAD

PEOPLE GO ABROAD. "When the present Mikado Mutsubito ascended the throne, he published a edict calling upon his people to go abroad and learn the principles of Western civilization, and as loyal subjects we obeyed. Since

and as loyal subjects we obeyed. Since the time of Commodore Perry's visit, everything that would advance our country along lines tried and tested by the civilizations and the West has been eagerly adopted or adapted.

"Railroads, steamships, cotton factories and the weaving industries in general are conducted along American lines and modern machinery introduced as rapidly as our capital will permit. Industries whose establishment on a modern basis requires a long purse are not so quickly perfected as those where the initial machinery expense is small.

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"We are developing our mining resources rapidly, and one of our largest exports is coal. The firm of Mitsui & Co. has offices in every port of the East and in the large cities of the world, where there is a possible chance for trade to grow. Models worked by machinery will illustrate the Japanese coal mines and capper mines as well, at the World's Fair. Since the beginning of the development of electrical industries, our production and export of copper has increased by leaps and bounds. "In every branch of art work we will have an interesting exhibit. The hand embroidering of siks and other textiles has reached a high state of development with us, and occupies many workers of great artistic talent. Cloisonne pottery, is acquered wares and porceion, aif these proposes of hand work will be shown. great artistic talent. Cloisone pottery, inquered wares and porcelvin, all these branches of hand work, will be shown with the best collection we could gather. We might have sent more had we more space, although the Exposition has been very liberal to our country.

"I did ask as a loke that the allotmer abandoned by the Russian merchants handed over to us on the ground that had caused this Russian evacuation wh and caused this Russian evacuation while trying to cause quite another kind of evacuation on the part of the Russian Government in the far East. But it was only a toke, as we could hardly get the installations complete by the time the Fair will open.

art lies in its surgestiveness. Take that picture there," said Mr. Kanzaki, pointing to one housing on the wall of the quarters of the commission, "at first sight you get only a glimpse of the subject. It looks like a yillage enshrouded in mist, and as you look at it again and again, things that you had not noticed are manifested and the picture is always fresh and new.

"Our educational exhibit will include the work of all grades of schools from the kindergarien to the university. The schools are divided into three classes—lower, middle and high—and those who pass through the system of education approved by the Government are admitted without examination to the university, which is the only main point of difference between your schools and ours.

"Technical and scientific schools are well attended by our young men, and we shall exhibit much along those lines.

"We shall not exhibit methods of man-

COMPLAINS OF FACILITIES. "As it is we may have our hands full, unless the goods now in East St. Louis are soon sent across the river. It has taken as long to get cars from East St. Louis to the World's Fair terminals as it taken as long to get cars from East St. Louis to the World's Fair terminals as it did to get them from Japan to East St. Louis. The fixtures and installation materials are in those cars, and if our exhibits get here before the booths you can see how unhandy it will be.

"The idea prevails, I am told, that the Japanese are mere imitators of the Chinese. This is erroneous, as can be seen by comparing the two exhibits at the Fair. We first came into contact with China 1.50 years ago, when we adonted many Chinese ideas, but we have developed our own civilization, which we thoroughly believe in, yet we are open to suggestion from Western sources.

"To return to our exhibits. In the field of painting and carving we are bringing to St. Louis the best works of both our modern and ancient masters. Japanese art lies in its susgestiveness. Take that picture there," said Mr. Kanzaki, pointing to the hunding on the wall of the quarters of the commission, "at first sieth you get

HAJIME OTA.

Assistant Commissioner General from Japan to the World's Fair.

ufacture of the hand-made articles, although this was at first proposed, but we will have a better chance to show the products, we decided, by omitting the actual methods. A concession on the Pike will have native workmen, and the visitor who wishes to see how some things are done can have his deaire gratified.

DWARFED PLANT GARDEN.

"Our buildings on the ground will be three, the office of the commission, a reception hall, where we may entertain our guests, and a teahouse. The buildings will be surrounded by a formal Japanese garden, which may interest many who have not seen the dwarfed plants of Japan. By the use of dwarfed plants every man who loves nature may have a garden in a small space, and that is what led to the custom among the Japanese. "In the garden will be perfectly formed trees scarcely a foot high, arranged in the manner most pleasing to the Japanese eye. There will be a small lake, or, as you call it, a pond, spanned by a bridge, all in miniature. Near the pond will stand the teahouse. This structure is remarkable for one thing—no two pieces of wood in it are from the same tree, but every kind of wood in the imperial forests is shown in its construction.

"In the III.000 square feet allotted us we show Missouri' and the rest of the United States what our artists and artisans can do with their hands, and artisans can do with their hands and artisans can do with their hands, and artisans can do with their hands and artisans can do with their band artisans can do with their hands and artisans can do with their hands and

Commission Lets Contracts for Venom of Viper Exposed to Shafts Over Graves.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 27 .- Under the provisions of the last act of the Legisla-ture to erect suitable monuments over the graves of former State Governors Austin, B. Grats Brown and Joseph W. McClurg, at the expense of the State, the commission appointed for the purpose of looking after the matter, consisting of Governor Dockery, Secretary of State Sam B. Cook and State Auditor Albert O. Allen, to-day let the contracts for the three monuments to the Abercromble Stone Company of St. Joseph.

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The State appropriated \$1,509 for each monument. The designs selected are similar, the shaft to be twenty-three feet high and composed of gray Vermont marble.

Austin A. King lies buried at Richmond, in Ray County, dying April 22, 1870. B. Gratz Brown died December 13, 1885, and is buried at Kirkwood. Joseph U. McClurg died about three years ago, and is buried in Lebanon.

MONUMENTS FOR GOVERNORS, RADIUM WEAKENS POISON. Tube's Action.

> SPECIAL BY CABLE TO THE NEW YORK HERALD AND THE ST. LOUIS REPUBLIC. Paris, Feb. 27.—(Copyright, 1904.)—Doctor Doyen has just communicated to the Acudemie des Sciences a manufactus method of cancer treatment, based on an injection of a toxin microbe known as micrococcus neoformans, the presence of which was remarked some years ago in neoplastic tumors of rapid development. Twenty-one cases, it is claimed, were cured by means of the injection, and forty-seven cases are under observation.
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> At a meeting of the Academy of Sciences Professor Berthelot communicated the results of fresh experiments with radium by Doctor Physalix at the museum.
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> After flifty-eight hours' exposure to the action of a tube of radium the venom of a viper in solution was so affected that a guinea pig might be inoculated with a strong doze of the poison without the elightest danger. The longer the poison is injection of a toxin microbe known as

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Pass Successful Exa

Mrs. Elisabeth Spacth The funeral of Mrs. Elisabeth 8 who died last Thursday at her home 2005 North Twelsty-fifth street, took yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Spaath years old and had, with her hus conducted a bakery for many year North St. Louis. The burial was in lehem Cemetery.

DON'T GET GRAY.

THE EASTERN WAR

Is in many respects the most interesting international conflict of the century. Russia, the larger power, is at disadvantage in being so far from base. Japan's disadvantage lies in the superior land forces she will ultimately face-if the war lasts.

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